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In re Application of:)
Geoffrey STIFF, et al.) Group Art Unit: 2164
Appln. No.: 10/083,250))
Filed: February 27, 2002) Examiner: To Be Assigned)
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GUARANTEEING MINIMUM PERIODIC RETIREMENT INCOME PAYMENTS USING AN ADJUSTMENT ACCOUNT

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers" mailed March 28, 2002, Applicants submit herewith eight (8) sheets of Acceptable Drawings in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.84 for the above-identified patent application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a filing date of February 27, 2002 be granted to this application. No new matter has been entered with these Corrected Drawings.

Patent Application

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Applicants believe that no fee due in connection with the filing of this Response.

However, in the event there is any fees due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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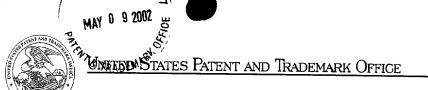
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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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